

# The Sting



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## The Pride is Back!

*Yes,  
the pride is back in  
Concordia Athletics!!*

*Come join  
the action  
in 89-90.*

In 1988-89, six varsity teams won their respective conference titles. Individually, 42 All-Star and All-Canadian awards were given to Stinger athletes.

## New Direction for Athletics!

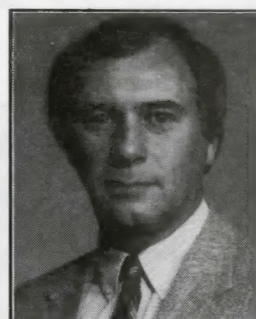
Concordia's Department of Fitness, Recreation and Athletics has changed its structure over the last six months.

As the 90's approach, the Athletic Department will now have two distinct sectors.

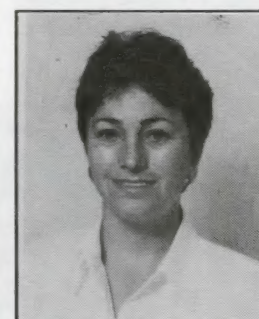
They consist of the Program Development Sector and the Services Sector. Paul Arsenault will head the Services area, while Kathy McDonald will be in charge of Program Development.



**Paul Arsenault**  
Associate Director

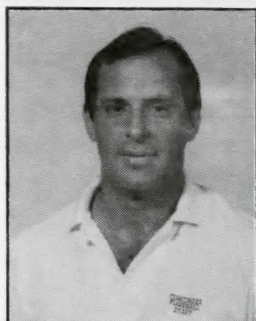


**Bob Philip**  
Director



**Kathy McDonald**  
Associate Director

## New Coaches & Facilities: Fabulous Feast of Football



**Pat Sheahan**  
Head Coach  
& Offensive  
Coordinator

The 1989 edition of the Stingers will take the field this fall with new found confidence and determination under Head Coach Pat Sheahan. With 23 lettermen and 15 starters returning, there is plenty of dynamic young talent poised for a successful season.

Conference All-Stars like Martin Ferdais (linebacker), Paul Vajda (offensive guard), Stephane Chapados (defensive back), and Ron Aboud (quarterback), should give Stinger fans plenty to cheer about on both sides of the ball.



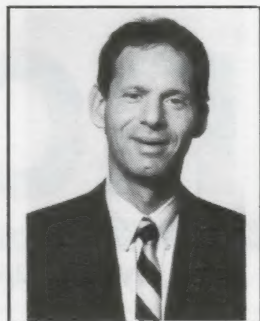
**Loyola Stadium Inauguration,  
September 9th Shrine Bowl**



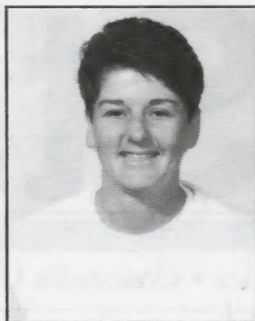
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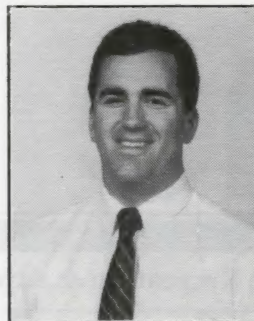
**Louisa Zerbe**  
Intercollegiate  
Coordinator



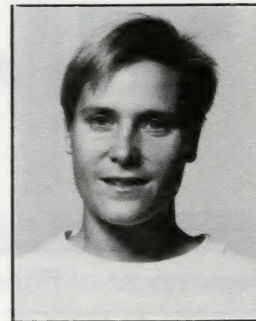
**Harvey Liverman**  
Assistant to  
Director



**Julie Healy**  
Facilities



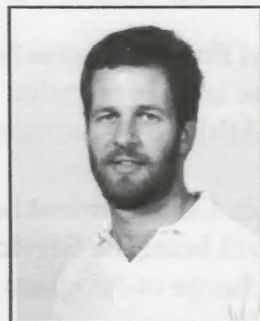
**Larry Ring**  
Marketing



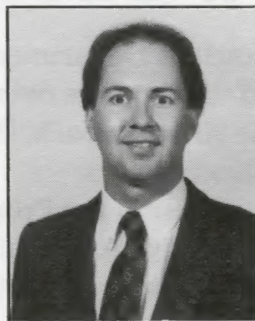
**Melanie Sanford**  
Education



**Art Noseworthy**  
Equipment  
Manager



**Ron Rappel**  
Head Therapist



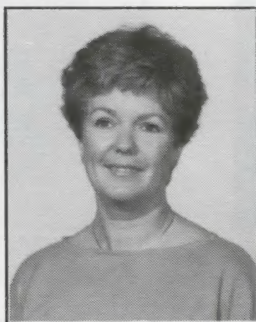
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Public Relations



**Linda Corrigan**  
Office Manager



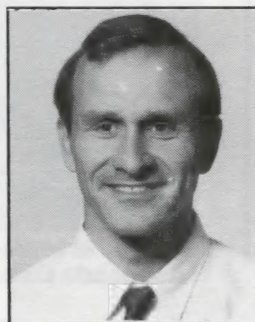
**Sally Livingston**  
Marketing Ass't



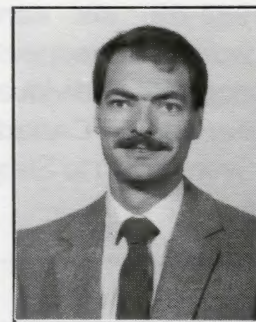
**Brenda McCullagh**  
Secretary



**Janet Corrigan**  
Secretary



**Vladimir Pavlicik**  
Recreational  
Athletics Coord.



**Greg Tyler**  
Recreation  
Sports Assistant

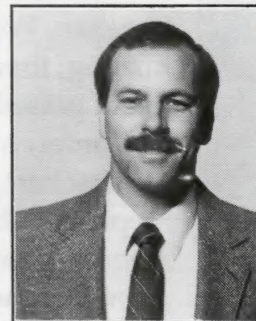
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## Basketball Team Gets New Look

The Stinger Men's Basketball team will have a new look for the upcoming campaign.

Former Stinger assistant coach John Dore has taken over the reigns from Doug Daignault. Dore and assistant coach Harvey Liverman have been busy recruiting the last few months.

The Maroon and Gold had one of the most exciting teams in the country last season. If you like fast breaks, slam dunks and the three-point shot—*Jump on the Stinger Express.*



**John Dore**



# Eight Stingers Gain All-Canadian Honours

Eight Concordia athletes, including Male Athlete of the Year, Mark Mahon, earned All-Canadian honours during the 1988-89 athletic campaign.

## *The Best in the Nation*

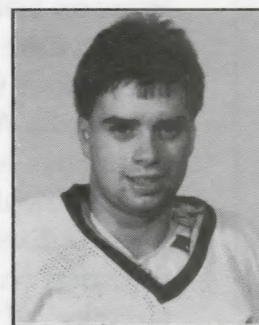
Mahon was the first Stinger to crack the hockey elite in four years. He was also runner up in both the Bauer Hockey New and CIAU Player of the Year balloting. The former Stinger's captain will play professional hockey in Germany this year.

Football offensive lineman Paul Vajda (guard) and Richard McCrory (tackle) were named to the dream team along with slotback Mirco Buth. McCrory was drafted by the Calgary Stampeders this

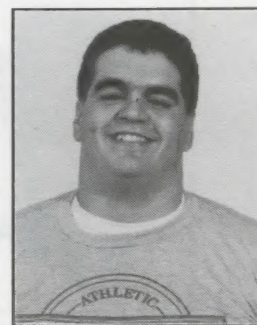
season.

Leading soccer scorer Sophie Drolet spearheaded the Stingers to a birth in the Nationals. Drolet along with National team members Connie Cant and Annie Caron were named All-Canadians. Outstanding rookie goaltender Genaro Angelillo cracked the men's CIAU Team.

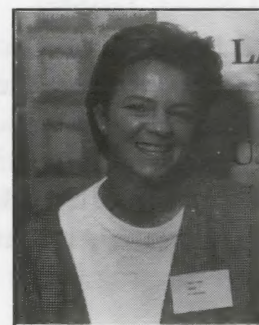
Stinger wrestlers Andy Borodow, David Mendelsohn and Rob Dawson won gold medals at the recent CIAU Nationals. The Stingers will try to grab their sixth National title in seven years this season.



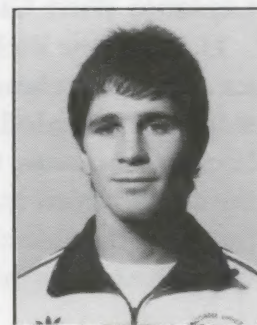
Mark Mahon  
Off to Germany



Richard McCrory  
Football



Annie Caron  
Soccer



Rob Dawson  
Wrestling

## Stinger Season Ticket Packages Now Available

Concordia's Athletic Department is proud to offer you the excitement of college sports through its All-Season pass. Last year, our teams attracted over 50,000 spectators. We hope you can join us and experience the thrill of victory again this season.

There are two season passes available this year. The Maroon Pass enables you to attend all home events including football, basketball and hockey games. In addition, pass holders can attend two spirit receptions courtesy of the

Athletic department. As an added incentive, pass holders will receive special discounts in our new pro-shop and a chance to win a one week trip for two in Florida. The value

of this pass is over \$200 and the cost to you is only \$75.

Our Gold Pass is offered to those individuals who donate \$100 or more to the Concordia Athletic program. In addition to all the benefits of the Maroon Pass, holders will receive a reserved seat at all Stinger home events and an invitation to our fabulous Celebrity Awards Dinner! *All donations are fully tax deductible.*

For Season Pass and all ticket information, phone (514) 848-3849.

**Concordia  
University**

**89-90**



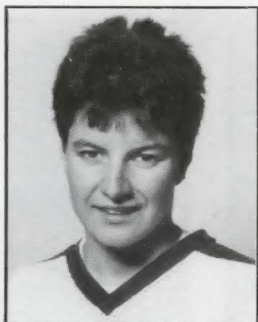
**ALL SPORTS  
SEASON PASS  
\$75**

Good for Exhibition and Regular Season Games

**Get Your Season Pass: Now THAT's the Ticket**



# Concordia's Outstanding Scholar Athletes



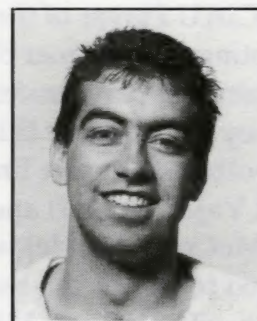
**Thérèse Brisson**  
All-Time Leading  
Scorer

## Brisson Wins Concordia Gold Medal

Two time Athlete of the Year Thérèse Brisson was recently awarded the prestigious Concordia Gold Medal. The Gold Medal is presented by the Concordia Alumni Association to a graduating student who has displayed distinctive leadership ability through both academic and non-academic achievements. Brisson has won the outstanding commendation of her peers in Exercise Science after graduating with a 3.92 G.P.A. She may be the finest student athlete to pass through Concordia. Dubbed the "Wayne Gretzky" of women's college hockey by the *Montreal Gazette*, she finished with 161 goals and 135 assists (296 points) in 106 career games.

## Laplace Wins Guy Lafleur Trophy

Hockey star Richard Laplace capped off a banner season both on the ice and in the classroom by winning the 1989 Guy Lafleur Trophy. The trophy is awarded to the outstanding scholar-athlete in Quebec University hockey. Laplace, Concordia's Male Athlete of the Year in 1988, finished the season third in O.U.A.A. scoring. He was named a league All-Star for the second consecutive year while maintaining a 3.05 G.P.A. The boucherville, Quebec native will be a big factor for the Stingers this season.



**Richard Laplace**  
Returning in 89-90



**Rosanne Gamache**  
Top Student Athlete

## Gamache Hitting New Heights

Alpine Skier Rosanne Gamache had an outstanding season on the slopes and in the classroom last year. Gamache won the QSSF Gold Medal with seven first and three second place finishes on the ski circuit. Her dominance on the slopes coincided with a tremendous year in the Faculty of Commerce & Administration. She finished with a 3.86 G.P.A. and was named Concordia's Top Student Athlete. The Montreal native will return to captain our Provincial Champion Stinger ski squad.

## New Stinger Spirit Program

The first-ever Stinger Spirit Program has been initiated for the upcoming varsity season. The program will be run by a committee of student association executives. It will feature student cheering sections, game-day road trips and tailgate parties. Students can gain valuable experience in the publishing of a student sports paper, marketing, public relations and the execution of promotions involving Stinger athletics.

The Stinger spirit program offers something for everyone. The students who join the program will be given the challenge of sparking the student population's enthusiasm toward Concordia athletics. If you know anyone up to the challenge, phone 848-3850 and speak to Sally.

## Selected Home Games

<b>Football</b>	
Sept. 30 .....	McGill
Oct. 14 .....	Ottawa
Oct. 21 .....	Carleton
<b>Women's Soccer</b>	
Sept. 29 .....	McGill
Oct. 1 .....	Sherbrooke
<b>Men's Soccer</b>	
Oct. 5 .....	McGill
<b>Volleyball</b>	
Oct. 27 .....	Carleton
<b>Men's Hockey</b>	
Oct. 20-21 .....	Providence
<b>Men's Basketball</b>	
Nov. 3-4 .....	Centennial Tr.
<b>Women's Basketball</b>	
Oct. 20 .....	Alumni
Nov. 17-19 .....	Classic Tour.